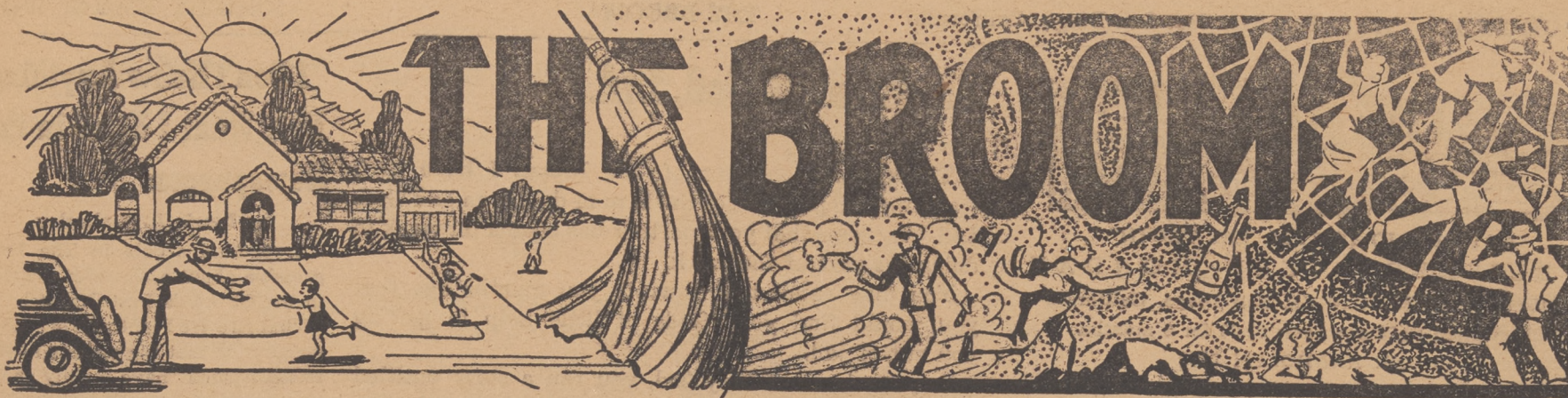




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Story of my Incarceration

By C. Leon de Aryan

I was arrested on July 22nd, 1942 by Robert Ransdell, deputy U. S. marshal, on a telegraphic warrant from Los Angeles, and taken to the San Diego county jail where I was lodged in tank No. 2, the receiving tank, with all the drunks and criminals, as well as inoffensive citizens like myself. July 22nd is the first day of the Leo constellation, so I knew that "everything was well in hand" in this first stage of making a public martyr of me for the Freedom of the Press in the U. S. A.

The people behind this arrest were the Anti-Defamation Committee of the B'nai B'rith, an international organization which collects millions of dollars yearly "to prevent Jewish pogroms", or race riots in the U. S. A. Because I had taken issue with the secondary boycott feature of the Sam Untermyer boycott of German goods at a time when we were at peace with Germany and a feud resulted between THE BROOM and these boycotters of those who did not submit to the dictates of the Untermyer committee, some Jews mistook this attitude of mine for racial anti-Semitism. Thus I was supposed to be of the same slant as the "Nazi persecutors of Jews" and in consequence a "subversive" agitator in the U. S. A.

But my attitude was of an entirely different motivation. I believe that the Congress alone has the authority to declare war on another nation, regardless of what the provocation might be. Thus I considered it a very dangerous precedent to concede to Untermyer's committee the power and authority to declare commercial war and enforce it by secondary boycott of those who did not obey its dictates. Commercial war is always followed by martial war and I am opposed to delegating the powers of the Congress to make war and make or abrogate commercial and other treaties with foreign nations, to a small group of New York dictators.

Thus my name was handed to the Tenney committee as an un-American "anti-Semite", while I consider it un-American to usurp the functions of Congress and arrogate power to destroy commerce with friendly nations as long as congress does not declare an enemy status for such nation. And to prove that the anti-defamation committee was earning its keep, Biddle's office, the attorney general of the U. S., was persuaded to include me in the charge of "conspiracy to demoralize" the armed forces of the U. S. because I upheld the constitutional functions of congress in the face of ruination of my business by being included among those to be destroyed by secondary boycott and "otherwise".

And so I was in jail.

Naturally, in extreme crisis one resorts to fasting and praying to adjust oneself to a new situation and triumph over obstacles, turn them to advantage. So I fasted 10 days in Bert Strand's jail and drank only water. My family, who understood why I went on a "hunger strike", brought me distilled water to the jail but Strand in his supreme wisdom refused it to be given me and after ten days the chlorine in the jail water inflamed the lining of my stomach so that to neutralize it I had to

Viereck's Lawyers Demand Dismissal of Case

WASHINGTON—George Sylester Viereck was back in District Court, while his lawyers argued the validity of the Federal indictment charging him with willful omission of vital facts when he registered with the State Department as a Nazi agent.

With the defense demurrer based principally on whether the registration statement required the Nazi agent to state simply his "business" or whether it required a full explanation of "the nature of his activities", John J. Wilson, Viereck's counsel, asked the court why the Secretary of State couldn't have "called Viereck in and asked him to enlarge on the nature of his business". That, he thought, might have cleared the entire matter up, without resort to criminal proceedings.

Viereck, apparently believing the United States Government wanted very little in the way of information, limited his definition of his activities for the Nazi government to "author and journalist".

The Government, however, represented by Special Prosecutors George A. McNulty and Albert E. Arent, persisted in the assertion that he also should have told how he was in constant and direct touch with the German Foreign Office during the years preceding Pearl Harbor. Also, they maintained, he should have described his extensive pro-Nazi propaganda activities through the press, radio and various members of Congress.

"The purpose of the (Foreign Agents Registration) Act," said McNulty, "is to deter foreign propaganda by disclosing it." Viereck, he added, sought to defeat that purpose.

Justice Bolitha J. Laws, who heard the arguments and will try the case if it comes to trial, stated that he would make his decision on the validity of the demurrer "within one week".

Meanwhile, he suggested defense counsel might prepare their case for the propagandist for trial on June 7, in the event the demurrer is thrown out.

break my fast, otherwise I would have continued it for 11 more days, the normal span of a health fast to regain control over one's nerves, being 21 days.

Strand was very kindly inclined. He treated me as a political prisoner instead of a criminal. He ordered the cook to supply me with canned tomato juice and grated apples and carrots to break my fast and that helped, but he could have helped me much more by supplying distilled water to finish up the fast. He also refused to let me have a pillow and bed sheets, so that for 6 weeks I was unable to sleep. He claimed that he had to enforce such rules of depriving me of sleep to show the other prisoners that he was not favoring me above them. He simply did not realize what the actual effect was upon me, as well as others, who are finer strung and not hard boiled criminals and extroverts.

(To Be Continued)

Burocracy Then & Now

Ben Franklin made a speech before the Constitutional Convention in Philadelphia in 1787. He warned the builders of the Republic against the dangers of bureaucracy, saying: "There is scarce a king in a hundred who would not if he could, follow the example of Pharaoh—get first all the people's money, then all their lands, and then make them and their children servants forever."

Senator O'Mahoney of Wyoming in a recent address said: "We do not want the government to run the whole show. The natural and inevitable result of concentrated power is the limitation of growth. We must realize that though the government may create debt, only the people can pay it. Production by the people is the only dependable source of government revenue. The supreme task of the democracy, therefore, is to enable the people to produce. The only alternative is some form of national socialism."

When the "king" (the government) referred to by Ben Franklin, goes into business in competition with private citizens, the seeds of national socialism have been planted. That has already happened in our country. It remains to be seen to what extent the people will cultivate this alien crop. If they permit it to flourish it will swallow their money, their lands, and leave them and their children its servants.

This nation resulted from individual ambition and enterprise developing the natural resources of the country—with government the servant, not the master of the people. Remember Ben Franklin's words whenever some one talks about the government going into business in competition with private citizens to furnish service "at cost". When it does that, the people go out of business, national socialism is established, and we all work for the government instead of ourselves. It becomes the master instead of the servant.

TO MY FRIENDS:

Some of you may be wondering why I have not called yet.

When I was arrested last year, I gave my car away for the use of the family. Now I have to walk and use the Spreckels vehicles for longer trips. Naturally, that is quite a handicap. The family uses the car to make their living, transportation to and from employment.

Oh yes, I found a room where I am batching now.

KOSTI.



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Causes of War Not Economic

We are having with us the reformers who attempt to ratiocinate us out of the law of cause and effect and make us believe in Hocuspocus. They claim that wars are the result of economic maladjustments.

As long as people are looking to secondary things for the root of the primary cause, naturally, they fool themselves and their "remedies" are quack. The economic maladjustment in present day society is the result of man's murderous and callous attitude towards life itself. The cause of war lies in man's notions by which he justifies murdering weaker creatures for imaginary personal profit, for in reality it does not profit him, but he so imagines and thereby builds himself slaughter houses and vivisects animals and humans and produces voodoo serums to keep the evil bugs of disease away.

This stupid and murderous attitude is the cause of all social maladjustment, economic as well as otherwise. It begins with defenseless animals and winds up with women, children and men. It is the root of all exploitation of the gullible and unwary, as well as the root of hatred of the "successful" that leads in the final stage to war. But the final stage is not the first stage.

The chemical and physical discoveries of natural law, with all its progress of mechanical dodads, have not improved man's brutal and murderous side of his nature. As long as this nature is not regenerated, "born again" of the compassionate Christ love that sees the same right to life in all creatures, war is precipitated through this blind frenzy that kills, like a wild elephant. Every great discovery was hailed as an end to war. Gunpowder as well as airplanes, but every natural science discovery has been utilized to make war. Should even the Henry George system of economics be made universal it would help finance wars on a pay as you go basis, only the war-makers have not yet tumbled on to it, as they did to the use of streamlined weapons.

Only where the Christ awakens in man's heart, that peace enters and the intelligence comes into play that looks for solution of all problems in a non-violent fashion. Christianity is rooted in vegetarianism, as the last communion or supper with Jesus, emphasizes. The pascal lamb is replaced with grain and fruit products. "And do this in memory of me!"

What has passed for "Christianity" so far is mere churchianity, for the Christ teaches love supreme, beginning with the dumb creatures and including all mankind. Through faith in the Father's wisdom, one may find all solutions to life's problems without once having to take recourse to violation of the law of love but be considerate of the rights of one's neighbors, be they animals or humans.

de Aryan & God, Ltd.

Dear de Aryan:

Through the columns of *The Broom* I have been watching the progress of the firm of de Aryan and God, Ltd. It seems that your partner has been a bit weak in doing his part of the work.

You may recall that I wrote you months ago that you would find your Gods of little help in getting you out of jail.

In your issue of May 3rd, you ran a story entitled "Prayer Brings Results". It states that one of your admirers in New Mexico had been praying for you for six months. It would seem that delayed action prayers should be side-tracked and the quick variety substituted.

If you get locked up again, you will be released in a hurry without either prayers or bonds if you will make a deal with friend God to have the sun stand still until you are loosed. This would scare hell out of the boys who are trying to get you. Joshua pulled a stunt like this, you will recall, and I'll bet 2 to 1 that you have as much influence beyond the clouds as that ancient warrior had.

By wearing a bib and turning the collar half-way around you could cash in beautifully on your partnership. Others are doing it with great financial reward and in many respects these fellows aren't half as smart as you are.

When you speak for de Aaryan personally you seem to do quite well but when you talk for the firm, de Aryan and God, Ltd., you remind me of the animal Balaam rode. She spoke for God, too, but in Hebrew. As far as I know, you can not speak that language.

In view of the fact that your partner didn't keep you out of jail, I would dissolve the firm immediately and go it alone. God had another partner once. His name was Lucifer. The two had a big row about something and God kicked him out. See how old Lucifer has prospered ever since. He gets the best of God at nearly every turn of the road, and he does it without the aid of any collection plates and paid agents. How come?

Atheistic Russia and Pagan China have saved civilization. Christian Germany and more Christian Italy have certainly raised hell in this world. Is your partner, God, still on their side? With you and the Pope both claiming to represent God, how is one to know which, if either of you, is the authorized spokesman? I am throwing my support to you for I know that you want the Allies to win the war.

Publish this one and then I'll know you are really in favor of free speech.

Kindest regards,

FRANK C. HUGHES.

P. S.—You can put in an answer telling me how ignorant I am, etc. I know about that now, but tell me again. I like to hear the story.—F.C.H.

FRANK MARRIED TO CHRISTIAN SCIENTIST

Frank is an old friend of mine, one of those who dish it out and can take it, too. His wife is of the Christian Science type of woman. That's the only one who could stand him because by training she sees no error.

Frank's method of taking a crack at me is to set up a strawman, claim that I am that strawman and then knock it down and crow about it. It's annoying at first, but once one gets to know Frank, it's amusing and helps pass the time away on a rainy day.

He always claims that I hold with the literal language of the Bible and hold every word of it to be Gospel truth, even those passages, which, if reprinted in *THE BROOM*, would bar this paper from the mails because of obscenity and incitement to race hatred. So he takes cracks at that imaginary picture of me, because he must have some fun. Of course, from time to time I must yield to his cockeyed sense of humor and publish his stuff, because there are so many like him and it's a good thing to remind ourselves of it.

"I Don't Know Anything But, What I Read in the Newspapers:"

by Lewis A. Walmsley

I read an article in *The Progressive* about a series of articles in the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* on "What Are We Fighting For?" The writer said that the writers in the *Post-Dispatch* "have mainly shied away from the question after nodding to it distantly and have written about social reforms, economic changes and international adjustments that they think we may achieve after the war, by peacetime procedure."

In Sunday's *Union* I read an article under heading, "Few know Why U. S. Fighting, Says Mumford." Mr. Mumford was making a speech up in Palo Alto and he went on to say that most of the soldiers didn't know what we are fighting for and neither did the common people, including the intelligentsia of this country—I read the article clear through, hoping that he would tell us what we were fighting for but he didn't.

Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Churchill met on a boat out in the Atlantic where they couldn't be disturbed and spent quite a time trying to figure out this same question. The best they could do was make up some stuff with rose petals floating around in it that smelled like hogwash which they called the "Four Freedoms" which they took back to anoint their administrations with.

It must have been pretty potent stuff—seems Henry Wallace came into the White House thirsty before his boss got a chance to do anything with it—Right off he started telling everybody how he personally was going to see that every infant in Timbuctoo and Patagonia consumed a quart of Grade A cow's milk every morning, whether they liked it or not. . . . He couldn't get anyone in Washington to listen to him, so he went to Mexico and then to Central America and then to South America, where he is still hunting for a sympathetic ear. I sure hope the effects wear off before he gets to Patagonia or Timbuctoo.

Mr. Churchill must have got home with his share, because he spilled a little of it over the radio. But he must have filed the rest of it away in the royal archives—leastwise none of it ever reached his hired men in India, according to last reports in *The Progressive* and *Time*. Gandhi, Nehru, and 8,000 of their followers are being held in jail even after the court decided their arrest illegal. Secretary for India, L. S. Amery, admitted that since the Independence Move came to a head some months ago, British authorities ordered the flogging of 958 Indians, 60,000 Indians had been arrested, police had fired on demonstrators 538 times, killing 940 Indians and injuring 1,630 more. Indian newspapers and industrialists who still supported the war effort and even the Moslem League have openly criticized the British auth-

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Whereas; Records compiled by unquestionable authority has conclusively proven the fallacy of many claims made for the so-called, prevention of disease forced upon the large numbers not approving such methods, and

Whereas; The Constitutional rights of American Citizens, in the recognition of medical liberty are being flagrantly violated; Therefore be it

Resolved; That the Executive Board of the California Animal Defense and Anti-Vivisection League, Inc., representing a large and influential citizenry in meeting assembled, respectfully request and petition the Congress of the United States for a fair and unbiased investigation into organized medicine.

Signed,

ROSEMONDE RAE WRIGHT,
President.

DELL C. HAWKSFORD,
Executive Secretary.

orities for their actions. Gandhi is charged among other things with making the following statements: "Let every Indian consider himself a free man." "Victory or death would be the motto of every son and daughter of India. If we live, we live as free men."

So much for the Four Freedoms. And I still don't know what we are fighting for. So I turn again to see what our great military authority, Ex-Major Smedley D. Butler had to say about war back in 1935, when this war had not yet started. I quote him: "War is a racket. It always has been. It is possibly the oldest, easily the most profitable, surely the most vicious. It is the only one international in scope. It is the only one in which profits are reckoned in dollars and the loss in lives. A racket is best described, I believe, as something that is not what it seems to the majority of people. Only a small "inside" group knows what it is about. It is conducted for the benefit of the very few, at the expense of the very many. Out of war a few people make huge fortunes."

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JESUS WAS BORN ON THE 23rd OF MAY

Do not be confused by the equinoctial and solstitial customs of the sunworshippers. Christmas is a feast of joy when the sunworshippers celebrated the ascent of the Sun after his winter descent and the shortening of the days. You don't know it, but you are a sunworshipper if you feast at Christmas, or Easter.

But Jesus was not born on the 25th day of December. He was born on the 23rd day of May on the cusp of Taurus and Gemini. He has the Bull's strenght and the dual nature of the Twins, divine and mortal. He is a perfect specimen of the Aryan ideal of a MAN. He is our Leader and we do well in following in his footsteps.

When you hear or read about Aryan ideals don't be confused by the detractors from the Truth. The Aryan is not a brute, but the very quintessence of nobility. The word Aryan stands for nobility of character, ingenuity, integrity and POWER. A co-ruler with God on earth by DOING the Will of Father. As Aryans our intelligence has to develop to see how the universe is created and controlled. We have made tremendous strides in physical science and harnessed material POWER to do our will and produce comforts, as well as DESTROY lives. We have it in our choice whether we will work with God or against Him. Accordingly our future is coming to us. We create it as we sow.

Wherever men wish to supplant their shortsightedness for God's wisdom, you will find that they deride the Christ. But Jesus is the prototype of the Aryan Christ. No treachery in him, no brutality, no attempt to rise on the carcass of his victims, but rather giving his life to lift them to his standard by forgiveness when they ask for it.

You have not read your Gospels carefully. Joseph was not the father, but only the step-father of Jesus. Joseph traces his lineage to David, but not Jesus.

There are some people who want to eat their cake and have it, too. They excommunicated Jesus publicly from their membership, expunged his name from their records and from all the records they could lay their hands on and destroy, but since Jesus triumphed above their criminal intrigues and is the shining Light of the world, now they claim he was born of their stock. Joseph was, but Jesus never. His father was an Armenian, his mother a Persian. As a representative of the Aryan priesthood he held high rank in EVERY sect and church which recognized his qualifications as a lover of God and His servant.

—Mazdaznan Science of Dietetics, London, England.

Who Appoints D. C. Judges?

My dear Good Friend Kostli:

You are slightly in error as to this: The Dept. of Justice (U. S. Atty. Biddle) do not appoint the local judges, all Fed. judges are appointed by the Pres. for life. Adkins was appointed by Coolidge or Hoover; is a Tenn. "Willkie" Republican. Nor does the D. of Jus. have anything to do with naming any trial judge; if there is a change of location of a judge, it is done by members of the Supreme Court. Chief Justice Stone looks after D. C. He could bring a judge here from California, if he wanted to.

I enjoyed your "Unconventional" story very much; but watch your step, about "pregnant". The P. O. Dept. is watching for a chance to throw all of us.

Yours faithfully,
HUDSON De PRIEST
Washington, D. C.

Science of Dietetics

Gland Foods and Cultures

For liver affections: in the morning on an empty stomach, one may swallow a piece of olive oil soap about the size of a pea and drink two glasses of hot water. One hour later a teaspoon of dry agar may be used. This method of cleansing the intestines is often a better procedure than resorting to many colon flushings, especially where the organs are weak, and do not hold the eliminating muscles in position. The water combined with the soap-foam drives everything into the lower chamber of the stomach and thus assists elimination.

In the case of colds: partake of one cup of strong wormwood tea, the first thing in the morning upon an empty stomach. For breakfast take some fruit with dextrinized raw rolled oats together with one dessert-spoon of agar. Immediately afterwards drink one or two glasses of hot water with a pinch of cayenne therein.

Agar creates the processes of inculin where the cells have lost their energy. If very depleted and the digestive system is worn out, it may be well to resort to the Milk Cure with the addition of agar, either in its dry form or prepared in various ways.

During these times agar agar may be difficult to obtain and we shall need to use the mucilaginous foods in its stead.

Irish moss or Iceland moss may be obtainable and can be used in conjunction with the agar treatment, and with beneficial results.

Fasting: for those to whom fasting does not appeal, one may live for many days or even weeks on agar preparations. Take every day five dessertspoons of agar in hot milk or distilled water: one spoon to each glass or alternatively, take the agar in fruit juices. During such treatment resort to hot baths and stimulate the system by rubbing it vigorously with a hot towel, afterwards rubbing the body with oiled hands.

BIDDLE SAID IT

Dear De Priest:

Concerning the appointment of D. C. judges, I have Francis Biddle's own word for it that he appoints them. He said so in public at the meeting of the D. C. Bar Association where I was a visitor to the great annoyance, apparently, of Justice Proctor. Biddle said in substance: "I am torn between two choices, whether to make the selection from the Department of Justice or from the (D. C.) Bar".

That was on occasion where he told the President to appoint Arnold Thurman to the Appellate bench.

Of course, technically the President appoints the judges, but the Attorney General chooses them and the President signs on the dotted line.

Sincerely, C. LEON de ARYAN.

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"I Will Defend to The Death"

In a speech by Congressman Hamilton Fish in the House of Representative on April 6, 1943, in which he proposed amendments to the Alien and Sedition Act to conform to the Bill of Rights, he said in part:

"The intent and purpose of the House of Representatives in adopting the Alien Registration Act of June 28, 1940, known as the peacetime sedition law, is very clear, and there can be no misunderstanding by any fair-minded person who has read the testimony of the witnesses before the House committee or the debates in the House. The House at no time ever conceived of the law being used except to prevent Communist, Nazi, or subversive elements from distributing revolutionary propaganda and leaflets among our armed forces to cause mutiny, disobedience, desertion, or to seriously undermine their morale.

"It is utterly preposterous to attempt to twist and distort the 1940 act into indicting and bringing to trial opponents of the administration's foreign policies or of President Roosevelt, or anti-New Dealers, anti-Communists, or anti-Semites.

"Such a distortion of the obvious and declared purpose of the bill, and interference with the rights of American citizens to free speech and to a free press, revives the discredited and infamous Sedition Act of 1798, under which Jeffersonian writers, speakers, and editors were jailed for opposition to the Federalists then in power.

"The Sedition Act of 1798 died within 3 years and was the main factor in destroying the Federalist Party, which sponsored it, and any attempt to revive it by the New Deal, thereby abridging freedom of speech in America, against critics of the administration, will develop an issue that will destroy the New Deal just as surely and quickly as the first Sedition Act undermined and virtually wiped out the Federalist Party 144 years ago.

"If American citizens, clergymen, editors, writers, and crackpots or cranks from all of the Nation can be brought to Washington and tried for expressing their **noninterventionist and anti-New Deal views prior to Pearl Harbor**, half of Congress and 80 per cent of the American people could be sent to prison under such a Gestapo procedure.

"I have met and know only a few of the 34 persons now under indictment under what I consider to be a gross misconstruction and interpretation of a congressional statute. No witness or Member of Congress who advocated section 1 of the Alien Registration Act ever imagined that the law could be used to punish individuals who uttered or wrote criticisms considered objectionable by the administration, particularly when they do not constitute a clear or present danger of mutiny, disobedience, or desertion in our armed forces.

"I am informed that there is a group of anti-Semites among the 34 Americans indicted. I do not approve of their words or actions, as I believe there should be no religious test under the Constitution, and that all American citizens, regardless of race or color, have a right to their own religious convictions. But, while anti-Semitism is un-American, I know of no Federal law or constitutional provision that prohibits freedom of discussion of racial and religious issues, as much as I deplore them. It certainly was not the intent of the Congress to write any such restriction or limitation into the Alien Registration and Sedition Act.

"Paraphrasing the words of Voltaire, I say to these 34 defendants under indictment through a distorted and tortured construction of the Alien Registration Act of 1940, 'I do not believe in what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it in time of peace.'"

—Vista Press, Vista, California.

Report of the Tenney Committee

FACTS DON'T SUPPORT "SUBVERSIVE" CHARGES

The joint fact-finding committee to the 55th California legislature investigating subversive activities in California came to San Diego in February, 1942, and held its sessions in the Civic Center building. As far as this editor is concerned the proceedings in the inquiry were quite inoffensive since it dealt with facts which the editor had revealed to his readers during the previous 12 years of publication in the BROOM. Facts of a personal nature. I realized that one of these days I would be roasted by my enemies on the griddle of mob hysteria and prepared for it by giving them all the history of my past life so they could advertise it to the world. They naturally went for it and brought it out during the Tenney inquiry. The only thing they forgot was the fact that I, too, wore diapers as a baby and mother had to wash them quite often. Otherwise they dished out all the dirt I had supplied them but it did not impress the readers of THE BROOM at all since they had known all about it from reading THE BROOM.

It gave me a good opportunity to scan the report of the Tenney inquisition in the daily papers where the CIO Guild reporter distorted the story by dishing out heavily what appeared to him to be a good smear story and leaving out the facts that would have rounded out the human interest story as such, thus presenting an ugly picture. There are tricks in every trade and the Communist reporters certainly know how to use them. Through the control of the reporters by the Guild, naturally the public gets only what the Guild wants them to know, in the light as it is interested to color the facts.

Continuing the report of the committee itself we find on page 249:

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"de Aryan stated that he was solely responsible for the editorial policy of the paper. He continuously carried an active campaign against Communism and Communists, which campaign according to his own statement, has been the policy of the paper from 'practically the first issue'. de Aryan believes that the Marxist philosophy destroys individual initiative. He was very much aware of the Communist Party and its activities in San Diego and declared that the Communists had been 'after' him for six or seven years. This came about, he explained, because he refused to sign a petition legalizing the Communist Party in California. He stated that the Communists continually abuse him and even call him on the telephone with insults and threats. He revealed a very unique ability by declaring that he could tell a Communist by the voice over the telephone. He explained that all Communists have a 'gutural sound' in their voices (p.2276). de Aryan was born in Rumania in 1886 under the name of Constantin Lagenopol. He moved to Austria after the death of his father and stayed there until he was 19. At this time his mother had him placed in an insane asylum where he remained for about 14 months. He was removed from this place to another insane asylum located in Vienna. The doctors in Vienna discovered that the cause of his trouble was 'family persecution' and released him with a letter stating that fact. He went from Vienna to Egypt and worked in Mesopotamia under Sir William Wilcox. Sir William Wilcox was working for the Turkish Government but was also in the employ of the British, sending duplicate maps to Simla, India. de Aryan stated that he did not approve of this type of double-dealing, and therefore, resigned his position. He came to the United States in 1912 and joined the United States Army under the name of Kost, which, he said, was an abbreviation of Constantine. He later had his name changed to Aryan and subsequently legalized it by a court proceeding in the City of Los Angeles, adding the 'de' because of readings in numerology."

(To Be Continued)

The Pontiac Royalist

William Vicars, a Democratic leader in the Illinois house, anticipates the consulship for life. Arguing unsuccessfully against the resolution for a constitutional amendment limiting Presidents to two terms, Vicars said: "Under the guise of the two term question, this is striking at our President in war time, and it's pretty close to sedition."

Livingston county is hardly a hotbed of monarchist sentiment, but then Vicars, while he comes from Pontiac, is hardly representative of Livingston county. What he said was alien to the Illinois cornlands, but inescapable in the fourth term movement. The fourth termers are driven to present Mr. Roosevelt to the country, not as the servant of the people, subject to their correction and removal for any errors he may make, but as their ruler. The ruler is fraudulently identified with the nation. Criticism of the one is presented as disloyalty to the other.

This is not an accidental or incidental feature of the fourth term movement. It is fundamental in it. Unless the psychosis can be imposed upon the country that Mr. Roosevelt is the indispensable man and that any one who disputes his will or blocks his grasp for power betrays the country, the fourth term is lost. Once the dispensability is acknowledged the dispensing will follow shortly. Those who would destroy the Republic must of necessity adopt the habits of monarchism to accomplish the destruction.

In their frantic opposition to the spreading demand for the two term amendment the faithful followers have raised the cry that the amendment is an attack on Mr. Roosevelt. That is not true. The amendment is a defense of the Republic. Mr. Roosevelt is not its objective. His case is merely the demonstration that the amendment is a necessity.

By his failure to curb his own appetite for office, as those of his predecessors who faced similar temptation either curbed theirs or had them curbed, Mr. Roosevelt showed how the Republic will be destroyed, if it ever is destroyed. **Long tenure in office** permits the creation of a personal party that may retain power even when it ceases to speak for a majority of the citizens. The elections no longer remain free when a President has at his disposal the public purse and the appointive power to obligate millions of voters to himself.

Previous unwritten restraints having been destroyed, a new written one becomes necessary. Those who are willing to exalt the ruler at the expense of the Republic will do well to avoid mention of sedition.

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